PES Members:

Your Board of Directors is pleased to keep you informed of the following developments and opportunities for our membership:

**FELLOWS:**

**Travel award Applications to PAS/PES annual meeting in Vancouver!** PES is pleased to offer Travel Grants to Fellows attending the PAS/PES Annual Meeting in Vancouver, BC, Canada, May 3-6, 2014. We are very grateful to our corporate sponsors who make these grants possible. **Deadline is March 7, 2014.** Applications are now open: [https://www.pedsendo.org/research_awards/annual_travel/index.cfm](https://www.pedsendo.org/research_awards/annual_travel/index.cfm)

**Fellows Reception in Vancouver:** Please join other fellows for a meet-and-greet during the PAS/PES annual meeting sponsored by the Training Council and Fellows Committee on **Friday May 2 from 6-7 pm** at the Sheraton, Parks File Room.

**2nd Annual Fellows Essay Competition: Ethical Dilemmas in Pediatric Endocrinology!** The PES Ethics Committee is hosting an essay competition aimed at pediatric endocrinology fellows. We invite essays of up to 1000 words detailing a case or case series, the ethical conundrums that arose, and a description of how the author wrestled with and resolved the dilemma. More information and submission details can be found at: [https://www.pedsendo.org/assets/education_training/residents_fellows/PESethicsEssayAnnouncement2013_14.doc](https://www.pedsendo.org/assets/education_training/residents_fellows/PESethicsEssayAnnouncement2013_14.doc)

**PROGRAM DIRECTORS:**

View the subspecialty EPAs and competencies that will be used to report to ACGME beginning December 2014. The competencies are a subset of the competencies mapped to “General” subspecialty EPA’s: [http://www.pedsubs.org/issues/pedmile.cfm](http://www.pedsubs.org/issues/pedmile.cfm)

Please attend the **annual PD meeting in Vancouver** on **Friday May 2, 8-10 a.m.** at the Sheraton, Junior Ballroom C. Agenda items will include mapping the peds endo EPA competencies, more on the NAS and update on the Match.
ALL MEMBERS:


**July 13-14, 2014, Hyatt Regency Riverfront - Jacksonville FL.** NICHD and the Turner Syndrome Society have partnered together to organize the Turner Resource Network Symposium. This symposium is organized by and for clinicians dedicated to Turner syndrome care, for research scientists in the field of Turner syndrome, and for individuals with Turner syndrome and their families. All professionals interested in becoming involved with this initiative, or working in a field related to Turner syndrome, are invited to attend this symposium. To learn more and register go to www.turnersyndrome.org

NEW MEMBERS NEEDED! The Program Committee for the April 2015 annual meeting in San Diego, CA needs new members to begin planning the program. If you are interested in participating, then attend the meeting on Friday morning May 2, 8am – 10am at the Sheraton, Port Alberni Room. For more information, contact the chair of the 2015 program, Dorothy Shulman: dshulman@health.usf.edu

**PES NEEDS YOU!** We invite you to review the list of committees and councils and get involved! If you are interested in any of these committees: https://www.pedsendo.org/about/council_committees/index.cfm Please contact Janice in the PES office. Our organization’s success depends on your participation!

**NEW WEBSITE ADDRESS**: The new PES website address is https://www.pedsendo.org Please replace the old website address in your favorites list. Going directly to this new address (as opposed to being routed here by the old address) ensures a seamless member-only login experience.

**PREVIEW of the PES Annual Meeting in Beautiful Vancouver**: Thanks to Brandon Nathan and the Program Committee, the program includes presentations on practice management, fellows transitioning to first jobs, HbA1c in the diagnosis of DM, Vitamin D toxicity and these major symposia topics:

- Physiology and pathophysiology behind adrenarche
- Progress in beta cell biology
- Endocrine problems in the childhood cancer survivor
- The neonatal adrenal gland
- Pediatric bone disease and fractures
- Impact of common systemic disorders on growth
- Recognition and management of MEN syndromes
- The challenge of adherence in adolescence
- Manipulation of the sex steroid milieu to alter height: the evidence
- Hypothalamic-pituitary-thyroid axis
PAS/PES Annual Meeting Registration and Housing is NOW OPEN! The PES Annual Meeting is being held in Vancouver, Canada 2014 May 3 - May 6. To take advantage of the special PAS convention rates, be sure to book your reservation by April 4, 2014.
http://www.pas-meeting.org/reg_housing/default.asp

Clinical Update Course: Back by popular demand, this review of timely hot topics in pediatric endocrinology will be held at the Renaissance Vancouver Harbourside Hotel, May 1-2, just prior to the PES annual meeting. Registration details will be available soon!

JOBS in pediatric endocrinology are now easier to access on the website (no member log-in required): https://www.pedsendo.org/education_training/jobs/jobsearch.cfm


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Stay warm and Happy New Year!

Sincerely,

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